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**Weekly Newsletter**

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| A Peek at Our Week 1/13-1/20 |
| Science: Ecosystems  Our next science unit is Ecosystems. During this unit, students will learn about the animal and plant cell, abiotic and biotic factors, food chains and food webs, limiting factors, and different ecosystems; such as, estuaries, inlets, beaches, and forests. |
| Social Studies: Immigration  Essential Question: Explain how building cities and industries led to progressive reforms; such as, labor reforms, business reforms, and Prohibition.  Essential Question: Summarize the actions by the US to become a world power: Spanish- American War, Panama Canal, & WWI. |
| Math: Data Analysis  Our focus is on Unit 6: Collecting & Analyzing Data  We are finished with Unit 6. **An assessment will be on Friday, January 20.**  Our next unit is Unit 7. We will learn about order of operations. This unit is short; therefore, another math assessment will be given before the month ends. |
| ELA/Writing:  Our focus is on Author’s Bias (propaganda). We are also reviewing capitalization and punctuation.  Writing focus: Narrative Writing (PASS Prompt) & Friendly Letters  If you have computer access at home [www.spellingcity.com](http://www.spellingcity.com) is great for practicing each week’s spelling words. Have fun! |

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# Upcoming Events

**1/16 & 1/17- No School**

**1/18- Club Day**

**1/20- Report Cards Issued**

**1/20- Family Night (see note below)**

**1/23- Beautification Day**

**1/23-1/27- S.S. Benchmark**

**1/31- Jan. Birthday’s**

Things to Know

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* Every Thursday is wear purple day to take a stand against bullying.
* We are collecting Box Tops for Education, Coke bottle caps for Coke rewards, lean cuisine and CapriSun.
* Recycle: Newspaper
* Lifeskill: Sense of Humor- to laugh and be playful without hurting others.

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Notes from the Teacher:

Washington DC updates:

~ Jan. 20- Spaghetti and Karaoke Night from 5:00-6:30. Please come join us for a fun-filled evening! If you would like to attend please fill out the form at the bottom of the flyer that was given out this past week. The form is due by Jan. 19.

~ Jan. 20- Payment due of $100.00!



**Weekly Words***: No Spelling for this week.*

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